## **CIVIL COVER SHEET**

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I. (a) PLAINTIFFS				DEFENDANTS						
ISADORA Y W	ALKER and ANDRE	BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,								
ISADORA Y. WALKER, and ANDREA G. GARCIA,				, · · ·						
individually and on behalf of all others similarly situate										
(b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff <u>Douglas, GA</u> (EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)				County of Residence of First Listed Defendant (IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY)						
				NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF THE TRACT OF LAND INVOLVED.						
(c) Attorneys (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number)				Attorneys (If Known)						
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Ste. 1600 #7433	3, Charlotte, NC 282	202								
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1 U.S. Government 3 Federal Question			(F	For Diversity Cases Only)	TF DEF	a	nd One Box for I	Defendant) <b>PTF</b>	DEF	
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				Citizen or Subject of a 3 Soreign Nation 6 6						
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& Enforcement of Judgment		Personal Injury			PROPERTY RIGHTS  820 Copyrights		410 Antitrust 430 Banks and Banking			
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160 Stockholders' Suits	355 Motor Vehicle	371 Truth in Lending	H''	Act	Acto	£ 2016	485 Teleph			
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195 Contract Product Liability	360 Other Personal	Property Damage	_	Relations	861 HIA (	,	490 Cable/			
196 Franchise	Injury	385 Property Damage		Railway Labor Act		Lung (923)	850 Securit		.odities/	
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245 Tort Product Liability	Accommodations	530 General		IMMICDATION		-Third Party ISC 7609	899 Admin			
290 All Other Real Property	445 Amer. w/Disabilities - Employment	Other:		IMMIGRATION  Naturalization Application		SC 7009		view or Ap y Decision		
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VI. CAUSE OF ACTION  Brief description of cause:										
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VII. REQUESTED IN		IS A CLASS ACTION		MAND \$				ı complai	int:	
	UNDER RULE 2	DE	WIALTED W	CHECK YES only if demanded in complaint:						
COMPLAINT:		., v.1 .			JU	RY DEMAND:	× Yes	☐ No		
VIII. RELATED CASI										
IF ANY	(See instructions):		DOCKET NUMBER							
		JUDGE				TROMBER				
DATE		SIGNATURE OF ATTO	ORNEY OF	RECORD						
3/29/2024		/s/ Dana Smith								
FOR OFFICE USE ONLY										

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR ATTORNEYS COMPLETING CIVIL COVER SHEET FORM JS 44

Authority For Civil Cover Sheet

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- **I.(a) Plaintiffs-Defendants.** Enter names (last, first, middle initial) of plaintiff and defendant. If the plaintiff or defendant is a government agency, use only the full name or standard abbreviations. If the plaintiff or defendant is an official within a government agency, identify first the agency and then the official, giving both name and title.
- (b) County of Residence. For each civil case filed, except U.S. plaintiff cases, enter the name of the county where the first listed plaintiff resides at the time of filing. In U.S. plaintiff cases, enter the name of the county in which the first listed defendant resides at the time of filing. (NOTE: In land condemnation cases, the county of residence of the "defendant" is the location of the tract of land involved.)
- (c) Attorneys. Enter the firm name, address, telephone number, and attorney of record. If there are several attorneys, list them on an attachment, noting in this section "(see attachment)".
- II. Jurisdiction. The basis of jurisdiction is set forth under Rule 8(a), F.R.Cv.P., which requires that jurisdictions be shown in pleadings. Place an "X" in one of the boxes. If there is more than one basis of jurisdiction, precedence is given in the order shown below.

  United States plaintiff. (1) Jurisdiction based on 28 U.S.C. 1345 and 1348. Suits by agencies and officers of the United States are included here. United States defendant. (2) When the plaintiff is suing the United States, its officers or agencies, place an "X" in this box.

  Federal question. (3) This refers to suits under 28 U.S.C. 1331, where jurisdiction arises under the Constitution of the United States, an amendment to the Constitution, an act of Congress or a treaty of the United States. In cases where the U.S. is a party, the U.S. plaintiff or defendant code takes precedence, and box 1 or 2 should be marked.

  Diversity of citizenship. (4) This refers to suits under 28 U.S.C. 1332, where parties are citizens of different states. When Box 4 is checked, the citizenship of the different parties must be checked. (See Section III below; NOTE: federal question actions take precedence over diversity cases.)
- **III. Residence (citizenship) of Principal Parties.** This section of the JS 44 is to be completed if diversity of citizenship was indicated above. Mark this section for each principal party.
- **IV. Nature of Suit.** Place an "X" in the appropriate box. If there are multiple nature of suit codes associated with the case, pick the nature of suit code that is most applicable. Click here for: <a href="Nature of Suit Code Descriptions">Nature of Suit Code Descriptions</a>.
- V. Origin. Place an "X" in one of the seven boxes.
  - Original Proceedings. (1) Cases which originate in the United States district courts.

Removed from State Court. (2) Proceedings initiated in state courts may be removed to the district courts under Title 28 U.S.C., Section 1441. Remanded from Appellate Court. (3) Check this box for cases remanded to the district court for further action. Use the date of remand as the filing date

Reinstated or Reopened. (4) Check this box for cases reinstated or reopened in the district court. Use the reopening date as the filing date. Transferred from Another District. (5) For cases transferred under Title 28 U.S.C. Section 1404(a). Do not use this for within district transfers or multidistrict litigation transfers.

Multidistrict Litigation – Transfer. (6) Check this box when a multidistrict case is transferred into the district under authority of Title 28 U.S.C. Section 1407.

Multidistrict Litigation – Direct File. (8) Check this box when a multidistrict case is filed in the same district as the Master MDL docket. **PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE IS NOT AN ORIGIN CODE 7.** Origin Code 7 was used for historical records and is no longer relevant due to changes in statute.

- VI. Cause of Action. Report the civil statute directly related to the cause of action and give a brief description of the cause. **Do not cite jurisdictional statutes unless diversity.** Example: U.S. Civil Statute: 47 USC 553 Brief Description: Unauthorized reception of cable service.
- VII. Requested in Complaint. Class Action. Place an "X" in this box if you are filing a class action under Rule 23, F.R.Cv.P.

  Demand. In this space enter the actual dollar amount being demanded or indicate other demand, such as a preliminary injunction.

  Jury Demand. Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not a jury is being demanded.
- VIII. Related Cases. This section of the JS 44 is used to reference related cases, if any. If there are related cases, insert the docket numbers and the corresponding judge names for such cases.

Date and Attorney Signature. Date and sign the civil cover sheet.